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SUBJECT: CSCE: TURKISH EXCEPTIONS FOR AREA APPLICATION
OF MANEUVERS CBM

REF: GENEVA 5077

1. ALLIED EFFORT DESCRIBED REFTEL TO DEAL WITH TURKEY
ON CBM'S ISSUE IS CONSTRUCTIVE AND HOPEFULLY WILL RESULT
IN A CHANGE IN TURKEY'S POSITION. WE ALSO WELCOME
INDICATION THAT ALLIES APPRECIATE THAT IT WILL BE
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DIFFICULT FOR THE US TO TAKE A LEAD.

2. FOR ANKARA: BEFORE MAKING ANY APPROACH TO TURKEY, YOU SHOULD COORDINATE WITH OTHER ALLIED EMBASSIES IN ANKARA ON TACTICS FOR APPROACHING TURKISH GOVERNMENT. YOU SHOULD EXPLAIN THAT US IS WILLING TO PARTICIPATE IN COORDINATED, COLLEGIAL EFFORT, BASED UPON TALKING POINTS REFTTEL, BUT THAT WE DO NOT BELIEVE THE US SHOULD TAKE THE LEAD IN THIS MATTER. WE LOOK TO UK, FRG AND OTHERS TO TAKE INITIATIVE. YOU MAY ASSURE THEM THAT WE WILL PLAY A USEFUL SUPPORTIVE ROLE. IN SUCH APPROACHES TO GOT AS MAY BE AGREED ON, WE SUGGEST EMBASSY'S ROLE SHOULD BE LOW-KEYED AND AT LEVEL YOU JUDGE APPROPRIATE.

3. FOR LONDON, BONN AND PARIS: YOU SHOULD INFORM FOREIGN MINISTRIES THAT WE ARE PURSUING THIS COURSE OF ACTION, POINTING OUT THAT WE BELIEVE DIRECT COORDINATED ALLIED APPROACH IN ANKARA IS LIKELY TO PRODUCE MOST EFFECTIVE AND TIMELY IMPACT. INGERSOLL

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